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RE: MUR 6498  
Edward J. Lynch  
Lynch for Congress and Edward J. Lynch in  
his official capacity as treasurer

Dear Mr. Reynoso:

On August 26, 2014, the Commission determined to enter into negotiations with your clients Edward J. Lynch and Lynch for Congress ("Committee") and Edward J. Lynch in his official capacity as treasurer (collectively "Respondents"), directed towards reaching a conciliation agreement in settlement of this matter prior to a finding of probable cause to believe. Enclosed is a conciliation agreement that the Commission has approved in settlement of this matter. If your clients agree with the provisions of the enclosed agreement, please have Mr. Lynch sign and return it, along with the civil penalty, to the Commission. In light of the fact that conciliation negotiations, prior to a finding of probable cause to believe, are limited to a maximum of 60 days, you should respond to this notification as soon as possible. The basis of the Commission's civil penalty calculation is set forth below.

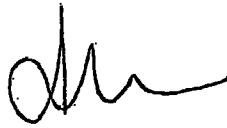
During conciliation, you may submit any factual or legal materials that you believe are relevant to the resolution of this matter. You may also submit a written request for relevant information gathered by the Commission in the course of its investigation of this matter. See

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*Agency Procedure for Disclosure of Documents and Information in the Enforcement Process*, 76 Fed. Reg. 34986 (June 15, 2011). Because the Commission only enters into pre-probable cause conciliation in matters that it believes have a reasonable opportunity for settlement, we may proceed to the next step in the enforcement process if a mutually acceptable conciliation agreement cannot be reached within 60 days. See 2 U.S.C. § 437g(a), 11 C.F.R. Part 111 (Subpart A). Please note that once the Commission enters the next step in the enforcement process, it may decline to engage in further settlement discussions until after making a probable cause finding.

If you have any questions or suggestions for changes in the agreement, or if you wish to arrange a meeting in connection with a mutually satisfactory conciliation agreement, please contact me at (202) 694-1385.

Sincerely,



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